

## Online Research

Dos and Don'ts

### Do–

- › Get all citation information available
- › Check for reliability of website
- › Collect as much information as possible
- › Copy at least two direct quotes from each website
  - Use quotation marks when you do
- › Use 5 different websites
- › Use websites ending in:
  - .gov
  - .net
  - .edu
  - .mil
  - .org
  - .com
- › Use the links at the bottom of Wikipedia to locate sources for research

### Don't–

- › Use Wikipedia as a source
- › Use other unreliable sources
- › Write down duplicate facts even from different websites
- › Gather less than 5 facts per website
- › Forget the citation information
- › Make facts up
- › Write down what you already know without a citation
  - All of your information must come from a source